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## STATEMENT REGARDING PREVIOUS PROSECUTION OF CLAIMS IN THE SAME FAMILY

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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this statement to let the examiner know that claims having limitations similar to the limitations in this case but having different scope were prosecuted in US patent application Serial No. 09/409,797 which was filed on September 30, 1999 and which was entitled Simulation Method and Apparatus for Use In Enterprise Controls. Applicant has submitted all of the prior art references in this case that had been considered in the above-referenced application for the examiner's review.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

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